make up its accounts, he has always, from the first catablishment of the government, entrusted the discharge of these daties to other hands. As the Secretary of State of the United States is peculiarly the confidential adviser of the President, in whatever concerns the foreign relations of the country, he would seem to be the natural and appropriate agent for the discharge of these duties if he could perform them without detriment to other public business of higher importance. Accordingly, the committee find that in the administrations of General Washington, the side Adams, and part of that of Mr. Jefferson, while the office of Secretary of State was held in succession by Massra. Jay, Jefferson, Randolph, Pickering, Marshall, and part of the time that Mr. Madison held that office under Mr. Jefferson, the whole of this fund was, under the direction and supervision of the President of the United States, received, kept, and dishursed by the Secretary of State. In the carry part of Mr. Jefferson's administration the Secretary of State, without any law

rection and supervision of the President of the United States, received, kept, and dishursed by the Secretary of State. In the early part of Mr. Jefferson's administration the Secretary of State, without any law requiring it, seems to have been relieved from the discharge of this duty, and the keeping and disbursing of this fund under the President's direction appears to have been passed over into the hands of agents, whose secounts, after receiving the sanction of the President, are settled at the treasury. But me change has been made in the law, or in the powers or duties of the President in respect to this fund from the time of General Washington to the present day. This change must have been made for the convenience of the Secretary of State, and not from any want of confidence which Mr. Jefferson had in Mr. Madison.

The committee have examined Mr. Tyler, the late President of the United States. He testified that when he came into the presidency, he found the foreign relations of the country in a very delicate condition, in certain particulars, which the committee do not deem it expedient to specify, requiring, in his opinion, the employment of confidential agents; and, and for reasons assigned by him to the camunities, he regarded his Secretary of State as the fittest person to select and employ them. Under an impression entertained, both by him and Mr. Webster, that this was the usual and proper mode, he suggested that the money should be disbursed by Mr. Webster, and for that purpose placed in his hands a pertion of the foreign intercourse fund, which was then lying in deposit with Mr. Stubes, the ordinary disbursing agent. This had not been done before for a long time. A knowledge of the modern usage in respect to the keeping and disbursing this fund, it is not improbable, led Mr. Ingersoli into the erroneous belief that this money had come improperly, and without the President sanction, at Mr. Webster's mixtured to his money and that he alone had a right to judge of it, expediency. The committee find, alone had a right to judge of its expediency. The committee find, from the testimony, that all the money put into his hands was placed there with the knowledge and sanction and by the order of the President; and so much of it as was necessary was assumed in accordance with his views. A balance, not needed for the purposes costemplated, was afterwards returned by Mr. Webster to Mr. Stubbs, the disbursing agent, with whom the testimony shows there is usually on deposit a larger amount of money than is required to meet present demands. With these remarks, the committee dismiss this, and proceed to notice the second charge.

In that charge Mr. Ingersoil accuses Mr. Webster with using the public money to corrupt the party presses. Among the agents employed by Mr. Webster, under the authority of the President, as above explained, was Mr. Francis O. J. Smith, of the State of Maire. There is in the Department of State, among the papers relating to the secret service which is sum was received by Mr. Webster to fine sum was received by Mr. Webster to this part of the screet ervice fund which came into the hands of Mr. Webster was seventeen thousand dollars. Five thousand dollars of this sum was received by Mr. Webster, and December, 1841,

the State of Maine. There is in the Department of State, among the papers relating to the secret service fund, a letter from that gentlemen to Mr. Webster, which contains an expression, that, unexplained, might justly lead to the impression that he (Mr. Smith) had used the money of the government in that way. The committee have fully investigated this charge. They do not deem it accessary, or expedient, to go into a specification of the acts of this agent, who was employed in a secret service, or to inquire into the propriety of employing agents for secret service within the limits of the United States, and paying them out of the contingent fund for foreign intercourse; but will content themselves with simply remarking that the testimony they have taken fully explains whatever is of obscure or doubtful meaning in this letter, and removes every foundation for a belief, or ever a suspicion, that the public money was used or attempted to be used, to corrupt the party presses. This brings the committee to the third and last charge; that when Mr. Webster

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From an examination of his accounts, it appears that when he retired from office, there was of the moneys that had been intrusted to him, an apparent balance of \$2,290 in his hands as stated by Mr. Ingersoll. The expenditure of this sum remained to be accounted for by him. There seems to have been delay in procuring vouchers from the agents whom Mr. Webster had employed, for the moneys advanced by him to them. For a payment of a thousand dollars which he claimed to have made out of the fund in his hunds, he alleged the voucher had been lost, mislaid, or not procured, and it has not yet been found or obtained, though efforts were made by him to find or procure it. These causes occasioned a delay in the settlement of his accounts for some eighteen or twenty months.

In the autumn of 1844, the period having arrived when it was necessary for Mr. Stubbs to close his accounts at the treasury, and Mr. Webster not having then procured the necessary vouchers, he proprosed to pay the apparent balance against him, with the understanding that the government should refund to him, if he subsequently procured the evidence of his payments. This proposition, which proceeded from Mr. Webster, was acceded to by the President of the United States. In the month of November of that year, Mr, Webster procured a voucher for a payment of \$200, and paid in cash \$2,090, the residue of the Apparent balance in his hands. This money was remitted by him in part from Boston, and in part from Philadelphia. In the following winter, he visited Washington, and on the last of February, 1845, presented vouch payments made by him, while in office, and not before creditied to him, to the amount of \$1,050, which
the President of the United States directed to be refunded, and that amount was then repaid to him.
Mr. Webster was urged by Mr. Stubbs to collect,
and transmit his accounts and vouchers, that he Mr.
Stubbs might close his accounts with the treasury,
but the committee find no evidence of any threat of
exposure having been made by the President, which
induced the payment of the apparent balance against
him.

from the views of that message was expressed by the House. The committee therefore think that these facts were laid open to their view, with an implied understanding, both on the part of the Pre-sident and of the House, that they would be made

They therefore recommend that they be discharged from the further consideration of this subject, and that the testimony taken by them (which accompanies this report) be scaled up, endorsed "confidential," and deposited in the archayse of the House, not to be opened unless by its order. And they report resolutions accordingly.

Resetzed, That the testimony taken in this investigation the scaled up by the clerk under the supervision of the committee, endorsed "confidential," and deposited in the archives of the House, and that the same better opened on less by its order.

Resetzed, That this report be laid on the table and printed, and that the select committee he discharged from

Signed and submitted by-

REPORT OF THE MINORITY.

The undersigned, one of the members of the select committee of the House of Representatives appointed to investigate the truth of the charges against Daniel Webster, late Secretary of State, made by Chacke J. ingersoil, a member of this House, finding himself unable to concur, in all respects, in the report of the majority of the committee, and believing that truth and justice require that some of the facts made to appear in the course of the investigation, should be stated more fully than has been done in the report of the majority, bega leave briefly to present his views in the way of a

MINORITY REPORT.

While it is true, as stated in the majority report, that it would appear, from the testimony of ex-President Tyler, that it was on his ewn suggestion that the moneys belonging to the secret service fund were placed in the hands of Mr. Webster, yet, from the testimony of Mr. Stubbs, the disbursing agent of that fund, and by the correspondence on the subject, capies of which were obtained by the committee, it is evident that the modus operandi was this: Mr. Webster verbally suggested to Mr. Stubbs that he should write a note to the President suggesting the propriety and convenience of placing a part of this fund at the disposal of the Secretary of

length. It is as follows:

[Parkare]

Dras siz: I suppose we may consider our long-disputed boundary now settled, and the people of Maine feel that great circuit is due to your efforts in bringing a forty years' dispute to a close. Heel gratified in the result, from a conviction of many years' standing, that a new mode of sp-proaching the subject, and such a one as you have adopted, would accomplish it, while another forty years of circuitous diplomacy would have availed nothing.

Considering the matter settled, I presume you can feel justified in enabling me to fulfil certain assurances which justified in enabling me to fulfil certain assurances which justified in enabling me to fulfil certain assurances which justified in enabling me to fulfil certain assurances which justified in enabling me to fulfil certain assurances which justified in enabling me to fulfil certain assurances which justified in enabling me to fulfil certain assurances which justified in enabling me to fulfil certain assurances which justified in enabling me you can also make such allowance from the contingent fund as you may deem proper, merely remarking that all that was contemptated in my original letters to you of May, 1841, on the subject, so far as Maine, and the voice of the prople are concerned, has been happily realized. To the individuals alluded to above three in number. I gave an assurance that, in the event of a settlement of the boundary, they should be allowed a reasonable remuneration for their time and incidental expense—and I should like to be able to remit them \$100, or \$120 each, if in my power. Nevertheless, I assumed no ait thority to bind your department, in any official manner, on the subject, but the whole rusts in my confidential intercourse with them, and I leave it, after stating the fact, wholly at your discretion. I presume the contingent fund will be ample, and your coatrol in it ample, to do whatever you think just.

I send herewith a bill for a voucher, with entire consent for you to full the blanks as you

in retire from the assument that the rest to the remain in your present or any other position of the public service, my best wishes will attent your efforts, and I shall be most happy, in any opportunity, of my being serviceable to you in this region of our country.

I am, most truly, your friend and obedient servant, FRANCIS O. J. SMITH.

Hon, D. Wessers, &c., &c., &c., &c.

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It is hardly possible that any one, reading this letter, should come to any other conclusion than that arrived at by Mr. Ingersoll, and embraced in his second charge. Mr. Smith, however, in his examination before the committee, positively denies that any part of the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars, received by him out of the secret service fund, was ever paid or promised to any person in any way connected with the public press; and, from his testimony, it would appear that the object of his agency in Maine was to institute and prosecute a course of systematic electionecring; and, by a course of the United States of Mension, particular, him.

If it be assumed that Mr. Webster was correct in his impression that he had paid the above mentioned thousand dollars out of the fund in his hands, and if to this amount, be added the vouches for \$1,250, procured by him after his retirement from office, making together \$2,250, and this last amount be deducted from \$2,250, the apparent balance against him, it will show that the real balance in his hands when he went out of office was \$40 only. On reviewing his accounts, the keeping of which was for hearty presses, "as to secure and direction of the disbursing agent, the committee have been led to

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of the State Department an apparent defaulter to the amount of \$2,290. Afterwards, by direction of the President, he was written to by the disbursing seast, Mr. Stubba and urged to a settlement. For different reasons and on various pleas the matter was delayed from time to time, until Mr. Tyler approached the termination of his presidential term; when Mr. Wenter, having in this correspondence been reminded of the necessity that would exist for the publication of the account, and the exposure which would result from that publication if the account remained unadjusted, having been thus hinted at, suggested, in the first place, that the President should take the excentary's word for the expenditure of one thousand sollars, and grant him a certificate covering that amount; but, the President declining to set upon the magnetion, Mr. Webster then proposed to be to the apparent balance grainst him, which proposed was of course accepted, and Mr. Webster and it up accordingly. Susceptionally, however, the weather word of Mr. Webster to the monator of 1200 as the real amount, leaving 1100 as the real amount of his defalcation at the time of his redrement from office, and of the expectation of the three of his redrement from office, and of the expectation of the three of his redrement from office, and of the expectation of the three of his redrement from office, and of the expectation of the three of his redrement from office, and of the expectation of the three of his redrement from office, and of the expectation of the three of his redrement from office, and of the expectation of the three of his redrement from office early the creation of the summary produces the three of his sum to a first entire of the countries of the countries of the sum of the public service; but, there is no evidence before the committee that, subsequent to this time, Mr. Webster ever pretended to state specifically to whom, when, where, or for what purpose, the whole or

Whether he could have expended this sum for public purposes, and for purposes so important and delicate as to require a draft on the secret service fund, without being able, within two years theresfer, to designate, even to the President whose sgent he was, any of these particulars connected with its expenditure, the undersigned will leave it to the House to determine.

Having thus supplied what he deemed defective or erroreous in the report of the majority, and believing that no injury can result to the public service from the publication proposed, the undersigned begaleave to offer the following resolution:

Resolved. That the testimony and exhibits taken before the select committee of this House, instituted to investigate the charges against Daniel Webster, late Secretary of State, together with the reports of the majority and minority of said committee, he had upon the table, and printed, and that said committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

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P. B. HOPPER.

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[National Intelligencer and Columbian Fountain.]

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seen procured, and no exertions will be

May 21—eod9t [Intelligencer.]

CHILDREN in search of their father.

—The subscribers; children, and now only surviving relatives, as far as they know, of Luther R. Hildreth, are anxious to obtain some information respecting their father. He left Tioga county, Pennsylvania, in the apring of 1828, expecting immediately to return. Soon after he left information was received that he had suddenly died. They have lately learned that the report of his death was false, and that he is probably now living and resides in some one of the southern States. Should this meet his eye, he is earnestly entreated to let his anxious children know where he is, especially if he is in adversity. Mons. L. F. Levis, (Bacheller e. ettires de l'Oni-versity de France, et licencie en droit,) professor of the French and other modern languages. Miss L. Reed, domestic superintendent. Mrs. H. C. Smith, matren. For circulars apply to the P. F. Institute, Eth-cou's Mills post office, Maryland.

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Washington, D. C., May 25, 1846.

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PIANO FORTES—National Fair.—Several splendid rose wood and mahogany cine piano fortes, that were on exhibition at the national fair, still remain unsold, and are now offered at prate sale, and will be sold great bargains to close. The owner will be in constant attendance at the building throughout to-morrow and the day following. bowls, wine-coolers, champagnes, hocks, &c.
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By this machine, which in its operation atrictly follows the principles of the old way, all kinds of hides and skins may be tanned, not only so as to produce a superior article of leather, but with a saving of seventy-five per cent. in time, and fifty per cent. in labor, besides great economy in bark or tanning material.

A tannery in which the improved method was adopted, would, by its savings alone, be attended with large profits, whilst a neighboring one where the old plan was pursued would be losing money. The invention, which has been awarded a gold medal by the American Institute, as being the most valuable improvement ever introduced into this branch of manufactures, has given the highest satisfaction in the different. States in which it is in use.

Charles H. Flinn, administrator of John D. Richards, deceased defendant.

A Ta court held for the county of Page, at the A court-house, on Monday, the 23d day of February, 1846, sitting as a court of chancery.

This day came the complainant by Francia Li Jordan, eag., the attorney for the Commonwealth, and filed her bill against the defendant for the secovery of the residuum of the personal estate of John D. Richards, deceased, in the hands of thesaid administrator unadministered for the use and benefit of the literary fund, being within the jurisdiction of this Court.

And it appearing by satisfactory evidence that there is no person entitled to take the residuum under the laws of this Commonwealth directing the distribution of intestates' estates. It is ordered that publication be made for three months in some newspaper published at the seat of government of the United States, as the law requires.

The said John D. Richards, deceased, was a native of the county of Frederick, in this State, and died intestate, as far as is known and telieved, about the year 1838, somewhere near Tusciloosa, in the State of Alabama, leaving the sum of eight hundred and fifty dollars in the hands of the said Charles H. Flinn, when acting as deputy sheriff for the county of Page, and who has since qualified as the administrator of the said undisposed of residuum as distributees of the deceased, do appear here, on the first day of the next June term of this court, being the fourth Monday in the month, and make themselves defendants to the said bill. And if no person shall accordingly appear, and show a sufficient title in himself or herself, the court will decree the undisposed of residuum aforesaid to the Commonwealth, for the benefit of the literary fund. A copy—test:

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